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**Book Clubs to Promote Literacy in the Secondary Library**

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| **Logistics**   * [Book Source Classroom Organizer](http://classroom.booksource.com/) for circulation (borrowed books) * [Google Voice](https://accounts.google.com/ServiceLogin?service=grandcentral&passive=1209600&continue=https://www.google.com/voice&followup=https://www.google.com/voice&ltmpl=open) for communication with members (voicemail / text / email) * Spreadsheet of members for check-in, including contact info * Book return at check-in if not before * Book / Kindle checkout at end of meeting or when another book is returned * Donated $ for snacks * Officers (discussion facilitators, secretary, historian, tech assistants, special event organizer) |  |
| **Activities**   * Discussion formats – discussion facilitators at each table [groups discuss a single book with book-specific questions or general genre questions, groups discuss all four books with general genre questions, “Name that Character” game, other games (Andrea Hetzke’s book entitled [Book Club: 25 Activities for any Reading Discussion](http://www.amazon.com/Book-Club-Activities-Reading-Discussion/dp/1602130558/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1375888582&sr=1-1&keywords=andrea+hetzke))] * Smashbook – scrapbook of book club books * Tagzedo – wall of book club members * Student-made book reviews (bookmarks / QR code podcasts) * Student-made video trailers to advertise upcoming books * Speed-dating for summer reading * World Book Night * Holiday gift wrapping at B&N to benefit REACH * March Madness to vote on book club books |  |
| **Struggles**   * Keeping student engaged throughout meetings * Students who come but do not read the book club books * Kindles * Quiet Reading Area study block privilege |  |

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